

### AMENDMENTS TO THE SPECIFICATION

Please amend the specification as follows:

At page 19, in the paragraph beginning on line 16:

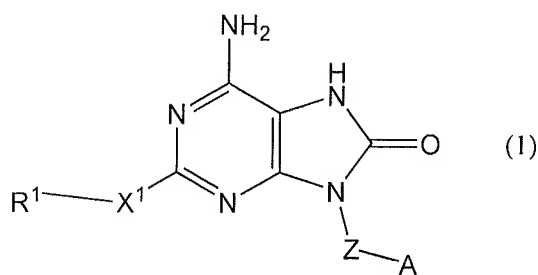
"Alkyl moiety" in "alkylcarbonyl group", "alkylsulfonyl group" or "alkylsulfinyl group" is the same as the above mentioned alkyl group. The alkylsulfonyl group is preferably exemplified by a straight or branched chain C<sub>1-4</sub> ~~alkylamino~~ alkylsulfonyl group, including specifically methanesulfonyl group, ethanesulfonyl group, propylsulfonyl group, 2-methylethylsulfonyl group and butylsulfonyl group.

In the Abstract:

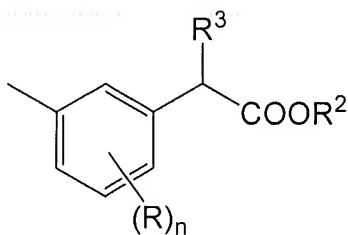
Please amend the abstract as follows:

#### ABSTRACT

An 8-oxoadenine compound useful as an immuno-modulator having specific activity against Th1/Th2, specifically a prophylactic and therapeutic agent for a topical application for allergic diseases, viral ~~siseases~~ diseases and cancers, which is represented by the following formula (1):



, wherein A is a group of a formula represented by the formula (2):



(2)

, wherein  $R^2$  is a substituted or unsubstituted alkyl group and so on,  $R^3$  is hydrogen atom or an alkyl group,  $R$  is a halogen atom and so on,  $n$  is 0~2,

$X^1$  is oxygen atom,  $Z$  is straight or branched chain alkylene, and  $R^1$  is an alkyl group which is optionally substituted by hydroxy group, an alkoxy group, alkoxycarbonyl group and so on, or its pharmaceutically acceptable salt.